

EXPECT OVER 500 AT NIGHT SCHOOL

Superintendent Fisher Predicts That the Enrollment Will Increase to This Number Soon.

388 STUDENTS NOW ATTENDING

To Have Assembly Exercises and Class in Study on Paint and Its Manufacture Will be Started.

Night school enrollment will probably reach over the 500 mark within the very near future, Superintendent of Schools E. C. Fisher announced today. He said he based his prediction on the increasing membership in classes to date.

Last night the enrollment was increased to 388 with students divided in the various classes as follows:

Bookkeeping	24
Spelling and penmanship	37
Stenography	45
Typewriting	77
Commercial arithmetic	27
Shop arithmetic	12
Cabinet work	15
Mechanical and architectural drawing and print reading	41
Sewing	14
Cooking	15
Chemistry	8
English I	30
English II	18
English III	15
Total	388

To Have Assembly.

Mr. Fisher announced also that with in the near future assembly exercises would be held for the night school students. Sessions are held every Tuesday and Thursday nights and the aim will be to have an assembly meeting once every month.

Master painters of Rock Island have assured Mr. Fisher that they would provide at least 25 students from among their help to study painting. The

object will be to instruct on the manufacture of paint from the raw material, the mixing and later the application.

PITCHER SIGNED WITH PLOW BOYS

Arthur Weakley Turns in His Contract for Berth on Moline's 1916 Season Team.

With the opening of the stove league, the usual amount of wonderment is injected into the baseball fans' conversations relative to the lineup of next season's team. The first real piece of news or inside dope of the Moline situation was let out at baseball headquarters today, with the announcement that a new pitcher had been signed. His name is Arthur Weakley and he carries the monicker of "Blackie."

Weakley's contract signed and properly filled out was received yesterday by Secretary L. H. Blackman. Weakley was offered a contract with the Plow City brigade and lost no time in signing, his being the first turned in for the coming season.

He is a twirler, 23 years old, and with fast semi-pro experience, having worked with the Moline Redmen, in a number of games and winning all of them.

FOUR JURORS ARE CHOSEN AT NOON

Selection of Panel to Hear Stoddard Will Contest is Proving Tedious Procedure.

Most of Edgington township was in circuit court this morning when the case of Mrs. Louisa Titterton, et al, vs. Martin Schoonmaker, et al, suit to break the will of Mrs. Sarah Stoddard, was called for trial. An estate of \$50,000 is involved.

Yesterday a demurrer to the bill, which has been filed some time ago and which caused a postponement when the action was called up Monday afternoon, was disposed of and this morning the trial started. The examination of jurors is proving a tedious procedure. When court adjourned at noon but four had been accepted by both sides: R. G. Marshall, Rock Island; Frank Fields, Hampton; Clyde Bellman, Rural; and Albert Taylor, Black Hawk.

It is expected that the case will last through this week and next week. Scores of witnesses on both sides have been summoned and a long and bitter legal battle is anticipated. R. K. Reynolds, W. C. Allen and J. T. and S. R. Kenworthy appear for the contestants and Searle & Marshall for the defendants.

Authorized to Solicit Money.
I. R. C. Campbell, the pastor of the African Methodist church has received information that people are soliciting money in the name of the Wayman church who are not authorized to do so. He has therefore asked that people give no money to anyone except those here authorized: Charles Golden, George F. Johnson, Mrs. Charles Golden, Sr., Mrs. G. F. Johnson, Mrs. R. C. Campbell and Mrs. Foust. The church debt is \$1,174.26 and this amount is to be raised by popular subscription.

Chicago Alderman Is Sued.
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 3.—Alderman Robert M. Buck was sued for \$100,000 today on a charge of slander made by John M. Kantor, a real estate expert whom Buck, at a committee meeting of the city council, yesterday accused of accepting a commission "for engineering the purchase" of a public school site.

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Theater

MAJESTIC.

Wednesday—Blanche Sweet in "The Secret Orchard."
Thursday—Mrs. Leslie Carter in "The Heart of Maryland."
Friday—Thomas Wiles in "Blue Grass."
Saturday—Holbrook Blinn in the "Ivory Snuff Box."

BLACK HAWK.

Wednesday—"The Diamond From the Sky." "When My Lady Smiles."
Thursday—"The Whirlpool." "Ham at the Beach."
Friday—"The Tigress." "A Perilous Chance." "Hazards of Helen."
Saturday—"The Woman Hater." "The Tale of a Fire."
Sunday—"The Wanderer's Affair." "Stronger Than Love."

COLONIAL.

Wednesday and Thursday—Dorothy Bernard in "The Little Gypsy."
Friday—"The Dancing Doll" with Vivian Wessel.
Saturday—Charlie Chaplin in "The Bank" and "The Village Homestead," with Darwin Karr.
Sunday—"The Dragon's Claw."

AT THE EMPIRE.

The last half of feature week at the Empire theatre opens tomorrow afternoon with Burke and Burke, the champion funmakers, in their big hit, "Eighteen Minutes in a Laugh Factory." This pair has a big reputation as comedians and will prove one of the big acts of the season, no doubt. The Tan Chin group of Chinese wonders will be another one of the big feature acts of the bill. Manager Berkell has been assured that no greater

act of this kind exists on any circuit. The oriental performers are said to perform the most marvelous things ever seen in vaudeville. Bill Foster, one of America's leading comedians and character artists, will bring his novelty here entitled "Who Is Who?" Foster as an entertainer has few equals anywhere and his coming here helps out feature week a great deal. Adams and Gilbert will do a singing and dancing act of a new type that is certain to be popular. The show will be completed by Yvonne, a novelty instrumentalist, who comes here after a season on the Orpheum and Keith circuits, where nothing but the best acts are admitted. The travel weekly and comedy movies will round out what is expected to be a much better bill than the first half of feature week. Manager Berkell has lined out for many new and novel acts to be shown at the Empire during the remainder of the season and wants his patrons to know that he is bringing some of the best stars in the business here.

AT THE COLUMBIA.

The Columbia, in Davenport, this week will claim as one of its features an attraction that is a rattling novelty and one that is bound to create more talk about the city than anything that has appeared there in a long time. "The Old Soldier Fiddlers" are just what their name implies, a quartet of fiddlers who served in the Civil war and who are whitened with age. They fiddle individually and collectively many of the old-time jigs and dances that bring back memories of the early '60s when fiddling was fiddling, and there wasn't any such thing as a violin. Colonel J. A. Pattee, the leader of the act, and two other old soldiers who fought with the north and two who fought with the south have laid away their arms and taken up the old fiddles, traveling together in one of the most emphatic pictures of forgotten hatred that the public has had

since the war. The patriotic air that hovers over their work is far and away ahead of everything that has been presented behind the footlights. It has the ring of real patriotism and always brings the audience to its feet. The mere sight of these old warriors, whose ages range from 70 to 80 years, is enough to inspire an American audience, and when they get the old fiddles to sending out the old time tunes the house goes wild with enthusiasm. John F. Dillon and three other notable acts complete the big show, which opens at the Columbia tomorrow.

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